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**To:** [Marie Rumsey](#); [Carol Schatz](#); ["Jessica Lall"](#); [Kerry Morrison](#); [Blair Besten](#); [Kent Smith](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Garcetti shifts stance, won't enforce tough new homeless measures - LA Times  
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Excellent suggestions and thoughts, Marie! Last night when I heard Garcetti, all I could think was he's "flip flopping" on this topic and it's not helpful to the city.

When is the next ad hoc committee meeting?

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From: Marie Rumsey [<mailto:MRumsey@ccala.org>]  
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To: Carol Schatz; 'Jessica Lall'; Kerry Morrison; Blair Besten; Kent Smith; Rena Leddy  
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There are going to be series of amendments to the ordinance and I believe they will happen at the Ad Hoc committee. The ordinance will never be fully enforced unless there are storage facilities across the city.

I think we can discuss a couple of different advocacy tracks:

1. Decentralization of services- homeless people are everywhere in the City and need access to services close to where they are living. Skid Row cannot be the only neighborhood that has a storage facility. If the City chooses to fund more storage facilities (which I think they will) we should also talk about using them as a place to connect homeless to services.
2. The City needs consistent leadership to advance a comprehensive homelessness policy. It does not help the process when the Mayor changes his position midstream. The Council deliberated the 51.16 muni code amendments over months and he needs to be engaged from day one. This kind of scattered approach to a serious problem could help make the case for a homeless czar.

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From: Carol Schatz  
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To: 'Jessica Lall'; Kerry Morrison; Marie Rumsey; Blair Besten; Kent Smith; Rena Leddy  
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Saw this last night and had a fit. I'm sick as a dog at the moment but can we meet next week to figure out an action plan?

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From: Jessica Lall [<mailto:jessica@southpark.la>]  
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<http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-garcetti-homeless-20150630-story.html>

Thanks,

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